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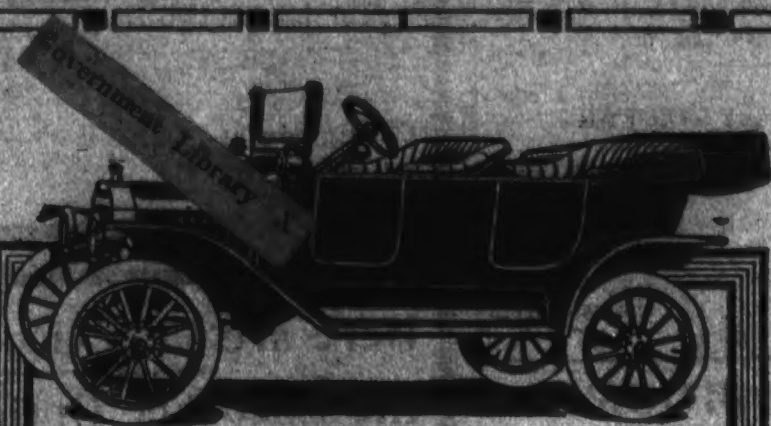
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Fat Bulls... 2 1/2 c. to 3 1/2 c.  
Beef Hides... 2 c.

HOGS—Hog prices are so uncertain that we cannot quote a steady price. Those wishing to sell, phone us for prices.

Further information regarding prices can be had by phoning 20 from 7.30 a.m. till 6 p.m.  
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## 5,000,000 KILLED UP TO MAY 31st, IS FRENCH ESTIMATE

Table Prepared by France for Publication Early in June, but Withheld Because of Enormity

New York, Aug. 5.—A Paris cable to the Tribune, this morning, says: "The losses of the European countries in the war up to May 31, as compiled by the French war ministry, are:

Nations	Killed	Wounded	Prisoners	Total
France	460,000	860,000	180,000	1,300,000
England	181,000	200,000	90,000	471,000
Belgium	49,000	49,000	15,000	113,000
Russia	1,250,000	1,680,000	850,000	3,780,000
Germany	1,650,000	1,880,000	490,000	4,020,000
Austria	1,650,000	1,885,000	910,000	4,385,000
Turkey	110,000	143,000	95,000	348,000
Totals	5,290,000	6,478,000	2,630,000	14,398,000

## THEY FIGHT IN NEXT TO NATURE GARMENTS

London, Aug. 6.—His Ashmead Bartlett, in the course of a dispatch to the Chronicle and other London newspapers, dated July 16, in the eastern Mediterranean, dealing with the role played by Australians and New Zealanders in the Gallipoli peninsula, says:

"A peculiarity of the colonial soldier which distinguishes him in a marked degree from our own men is his dislike of clothes. I suppose that since the Persians made their last charge at Omurman no such naked army has ever been seen."

"In the field Tommy Atkins likes to move and work and fight with the majority of his worldly goods hanging around him."

"No matter what the state of the temperature, men in our front trenches sit with their backs sweating in the broiling sun. They dig trenches without

removing a garment, but to find Australians wearing anything except a pair of shorts is extremely rare. Whether they are in the trenches, in the rest camp, or on fatigue duty, one by one they throw aside their various articles of clothing.

First the coat went, then the shirt, then the underclothing, and now a very large number chuck aside their boots and puttees. They now wear only shorts, which, starting a few months ago, were full length trousers, have now arrived half way up the thigh.

"In this primitive costume the Australians and New Zealanders live and work and fight."

"Their huge frames and giant limbs are burnt by the sun to a dull brick red."

"Some one remarked the other day that this campaign at the Dardanelles has only been made tolerable by the excellent bathing."

"I do not suppose any other factor has counted so much in keeping the troops healthy and in restoring their spirits after days and nights in stuffy and dirty smelly trenches."

"Especially do the Australians and New Zealanders love their periodical dips. To them the sea and sun are the breath of life. From the earliest childhood they have been accustomed to life in the water."

"The endless procession of naked warriors covered with a red never ceases from sunrise to sunset. No sooner is a colonial released from duty than he makes for the water, no matter the snipers and bursting shrapnel."

## ITALY READY FOR DARDANELLES

Rome, Aug. 5.—The tension between Italy and Turkey is declared here to be becoming daily more acute. Italy is said to have asked for categorical explanations concerning Turkey's alleged refusal to withdraw her troops from Cyrenaica district in Tripoli, and Turkey is pursuing what is described as her usual policy of procrastination.

In official circles here the feeling is held that hostilities on the part of Italy may commence at any moment, as Italy's last note to Turkey was almost of the character of an ultimatum.

Two hundred and fifty thousand men in the provinces of Bari, Foggia, and Lecce are said to be

prepared to sail from Brindisi on short notice.

## INTERSESSION SERVICES FOR THE WAR

On Wednesday last—the anniversary of the declaration of war by Great Britain—special services were held in St. Cyprian's Church at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

During the summer services are held every Wednesday at 8 p.m. in St. Cyprian's Church.

Later on, should the war continue, the services will be resumed in the different churches in turn.

In his remarks at the service on Wednesday last the Rector suggested that the men in the army and navy would often think of those who upheld them in prayer. As the Master Himself so the men at the front would ask, "Could ye not watch with me one hour?" Watch and pray. They, too, in a subordinate sense are giving their lives for us, and we ought not to weary of praying for them. This war is not the war of a clique or a party; it is every man's war, and we must all try to bear our share of the burden.

## MASSACRE OF ARMENIANS IS HORRIFYING

London, Aug. 6.—The London Daily Chronicle says this morning: "A tragic episode of the war in the east is the wholesale massacre of Armenians in Asia Minor by Turks and Kurds. Regarding the terrible scale of the massacres, greater than any which occurred under Abdul Hamid, there is now no room for doubt, and the statements on the subject last week by Lord Bryce in the House of Lords were officially corroborated, by Lord Crewe."

"In certain cases the Armenians have successfully defended themselves. At the town of Stale, for instance, to which Enver Pasha sent his brother-in-law with a commission of extermination, the victims after the massacre begun barred the Armenian quarters and held out against the Turks for four weeks until relieved by the Russian army. But outside this and some similar exceptions, they have been powerless. Tens of thousands, probably hundreds of thousands, have been deported by road, hundreds of miles to western Anatolia under conditions amounting to slow extermination."

"The Germans, who are masters of the central Ottoman administration, have, to their everlasting shame, not only permitted, but, rather, encouraged these horrors. The Allied powers have notified the Turkish officials they will hold them personally responsible, and at this stage they can do no more. There is perhaps room for an effective American protest, though we have not heard of one."

The Chronicle concludes by making an appeal to British charity, citing the terrible ruin and devastation following the Turkish massacres in north-eastern Armenia.

"The men, women, and children are massacred: Twenty thousand persons are homeless. Famine and infectious diseases prevail. Many volunteers are sick and wounded. Notwithstanding assistance from the Russian government and the Armenians in the Caucasus there is great want of doctors, drugs, and all kinds of food. The situation in Bitlis, Moush and Diarbekir is terrible. We beg urgently for immediate relief."

## LIKE RED-HOT COALS IN EYE-SOCKETS WAS GERMAN POISON GAS

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—"It was like being in hell. One horrible night, I saw all through," said Private J. R. Smith, of the Princess Patricia's, to a representative, when seen shortly after his arrival in the city from the front.

Private Smith is the first scoutmaster from the Ottawa district to return home. He was in the trenches during the battle of Ypres and later on duty at Armentieres, when he was stricken with heart trouble in June.

The only souvenirs of his experiences that he brought back with him are a piece of an aerial shell and the tobacco box which was sent to the soldiers by H. R. H. Princess Patricia at Christmas. In stating how he secured the piece of shell, Mr. Smith said:

"They were shelling an enemy aeroplane near Dieckbusch when this piece of shell fell at my feet. It came very near hitting me, and if it had it would probably have killed me."

It was near the end of May when Private Smith got his first taste of gas.

"We were in reserve near a railway line and went around to get some tools and were caught in the open. They sent the gas over. I had on only a respirator, but no goggles, and the gas blinded me for nearly an hour. It was just like as if you had taken out my eyesockets and put in red-hot coals. My eyes have never been the same since."

## Liberals Clean Up Manitoba

Liberals elected 40  
Conservatives elected 5  
Socialists elected 1  
Deferred 3

Winnipeg, Aug. 6.—Out of 46 constituencies voting today but five are likely to remain in the Conservative column when the final count is made. These are Carillon, Iberville, Morris, Roblin, and Ste. Rose, four of them being French-Canadian seats, the exception being Roblin, where the former Conservative member, Newton, was elected. He is the only English-speaking member on the government side of the legislature to be returned. Others were beaten by decisive majorities and notably J. T. Haig, in Assiniboia was bottom of a three-cornered contest. Both George Lawrence, former minister of agriculture, and former Speaker Johnson were badly beaten.

Twenty-four seats were unchanged, in twenty Liberals made gains, including Gimli, where the Liberal candidate retired on nomination day in favor of the Independent Liberal, who has no w apparently beaten the old Conservative member. One seat, Carillon, records the solitary Conservative gain, where a Liberal majority of seven was turned into a Conservative majority of 42. One Independent gain was recorded, in North Winnipeg, where Aid. Rigg, a Socialist Democrat and very strong local candidate, beat out the Liberal in a three-cornered fight, after running neck-and-neck with him all evening.

Deprived of its leaders, and with hardly a corporal's guard left, the new Independent Liberal Conservative party went down in crushing defeat almost before it was born.

## IS ABOUT TIME

Pan-American states are responding quickly to President Wilson's suggestion for a conference with respect to Mexico and its future. In this matter the wisdom of the United States president gives promise of splendid results. Not only will it likely lead to a permanent settlement of the troubles in Mexico but it is sure to give the United States a standing with the Pan-American states such as it has never before enjoyed.

Always in its relations with the little republics to the south of it there has been a suspicion in the minds of these Latin-American peoples that their big neighbor had the thought of territorial expansion at the back of his head, and they treated his advances accordingly. In this development of the Mexican situation all such fear will be dispelled and there will be such harmony of action as must produce beneficial results.

As for poor Mexico it is about time—indeed, long past time—that steps were taken to save her from herself. It seems inconceivable that a fruitful country right on the edge of an advanced civilization such as is developed in the United States should have been allowed to tear itself into tatters and shreds. According to Red Cross agents the situation in the war-stricken republic altogether Legars' description. Writing from Mexico City, one of those agents says:

"I had an opportunity to see the 'blood line.' The blood which was formerly converted into fertilizer is now given away to the poor. I found a crowd of about 2,500 women and children waiting in line with jars, buckets, pails, tin cans, bottles, and various other receptacles. At one time those on the end of the line, fearing there would be none left for them, rushed to the front of the line in spite of the police and other crowds and fought for better places. Of the 2,500 in line only about 900 could be served. All the different animals of the city are brought to the slaughter house and converted into fertilizers. Lately it has been noticed that when the carcasses of the horses reach the plant nineteenth of the flesh has been stripped off by the famished people."

## A POLICY OF SETTLEMENT

"A general, and in my opinion a correct, view prevails in well-informed quarters that the close of the war will see a large movement from the Motherland to Canada and Australia." In such words writes Sir Clement Kinloch-Cooke, M.P., in an article on "War Problems and How to Meet Them," in a current English magazine. "A considerable number of men engaged in the war have already expressed their intention, when free, of transferring themselves and their families either to Canada or to Australia."

Canada should begin at once to prepare to meet these peaceable invaders with a policy of settlement which will be of assistance to them and of value to the Dominion of Canada.

There must be some progressive

policy of settlement if Canada is to get the best from the next big immigration movement which will not be delayed very long.

In the first place, the most of the available homestead land has been taken up. In the second place the new immigrants without doubt will be less adapted for agricultural life in this country than their predecessors. They will with some assistance become the most valuable citizens, but without that assistance they will not make the most of the opportunities awaiting them.

At present the Dominion has no big policy of settlement. Old Country people declare that our advertisements are misleading, and that we do not deliver what we promise. We must not be found wanting when immigration activity revives. And the time to prepare for it is now.

## GREECE MAY BE GETTING READY FOR WAR

Rome, Aug. 6.—Several members of the Cretan legion, which has been fighting with the French in the Argonne, are now on their way to Greece, having obtained indefinite leave of absence from the French army.

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## JUDICIAL SALE

Pursuant to the final order for sale, there will be offered for sale by S. W. Paisley, Auctioneer, at the post office, in the Town of Lacombe, Alberta, at 3 p.m., on Saturday, the 4th day of September, 1915, the S. E. quarter of Section 28, Township 36, Range 25, West of the 4th Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less.

This property is situated about three miles from the post office of Brookside, 8 miles S. W. of the Post Office of Haynes, and about 21 miles S. E. of the Town of Lacombe; it is distant from the nearest railway station 37 miles. There is about 30 acres broken on the said property, but the same has gone back, and is now of little value; about 100 acres of the land can be easily broken. The property is well watered by a creek. There is a log barn 15 x 18 and a frame house 16 x 20 on the premises. The property is all fenced with wire in fairly good condition. The soil is a black sandy loam, and is good general farming land.

The property will be offered for sale at the upset price of \$1,000. Terms of payment ten per cent. to the Plaintiff's Solicitor at the time of sale; the balance to be paid into Court within sixty days without interest. The sale is subject to the standing conditions of the court.

Further particulars may be had from G. W. Greene, Barrister, of Red Deer, Alberta.

Dated at Red Deer, Alberta, this 31st day of July, 1915.  
F. S. SIMPSON,  
Clerk of the Court  
(Aug. 11-3c)

## NOTICE

STRAYED FROM Rosedale—One Black Mare, with halter on, and Bay Sucking Colt. Any information leading to the recovery of same will be suitably rewarded.

L. D. SUTHERLAND,  
Rosedale.  
(A. 11-4c) Box 427, Lacombe.

## LOST

Between Industrial Academy and Henry Lake, one roll of bedding. On leaving same at Fortune's Barn finder will receive \$2.50.

W. H. HUNT,  
(A. 11-1c)

## STEER TAKEN UP

At my place for past six weeks, one yearling steer; no horns; no brand. Apply Chas. Walder, 1 mile east and 5 miles south of Lacombe.

(A. 11-3c)

## STEER LOST-REWARD

Light red yearling steer; horns; no brand; strayed away about middle of June. Reward for information. Apply Chas. Walder, 1 mile east and 5 miles south of Lacombe.

(A. 11-3c)

## GIRL WANTED

Girl wanted on Sept. 1st. Apply Mrs. G. H. Hutton, Experimental Farm, Lacombe.

(A. 11-4p)

## TEACHER WANTED

Teacher Wanted for the Mount Vista S. D. No. 875. Apply stating qualifications to J. H. Vleit, Sec. Treas., Rimbey. Duties commence August 15, 1915.

(A. 11-1c)

## ESTRAY

MARE—At my place since July 20, 1915, one bay mare; two white hind feet and white spot on face; about seven years old; owner apply G. W. GRIF-FITH, 24 miles east of Blackfalds.  
(Jy. 28-3p)

## THE PIONEER MEAT MARKET

Cole & Slater Lacombe

We will pay the following prices, delivered at Lacombe, for the week:

Good Fat Steers, \$5.00 to \$7.00  
Heifers and Cows, 4.00 to 5.00  
Stags, 2.00 to 3.00  
Bulls, 2.00 to 3.00  
Calves (150-200), 6.50 to 7.50  
Calves (200-300), 6.00 to 7.00  
Sheep, Choice Killing (Wethers), 5.00 to 5.75  
Sheep, Choice Killing (Ewes), 5.00 to 5.25  
Sheep, Yearlings, 6.00 to 6.75  
Lambs, Choice Milk Lambs, 6.50 to 7.25  
Poultry—Live weight—  
Broilers, No. 1, 24 to 34 lbs., 12c.  
Fowl, 4c.  
No. 1 Ducks, 5c.  
No. 1 Ducklings, 9c.

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## Auction Sale

OF STOCK AND MACHINERY

THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE CO. LTD.

Administrators of the Estate of the late James Franklin Ackerson, of Nugent Post Office, Alberta, will offer for sale by Public Auction at his late residence, on the South-East Quarter of Section 10, Township 14, Range 3, West of the 6th Meridian (known as the Tony Tomashek place), on

Thursday, August 19

At 1.30 p.m. sharp, the following Stock and Machinery  
34 HEAD CATTLE.—17 Milch Cows, some with Calves at Side; 1 Steer, 2 years old; 14 head Yearlings; 1 Red Bull, 2 yrs. old; 1 Roan Bull, 1 year old.

10 HEAD MULES AND HORSES.—8 Head Good Work Mules; 1 Sorrel Mare; 1 Sorrel Colt, 1 year old.

4 SHOATS and 18 CHICKENS.

MACHINERY.—4 Frost & Wood Binder, 1 new Drill, 1 Gang Plow, 1 Set Disc Harrows, 1 Mower, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Wagon with double box and spring seat, 1 Buggy, 1 Set Bobbeds, 4 Sets Team Harness, 1 Set Drag Harrows, 1 Grindstone, and 1 Frame, and a number of small tools, etc., to numerous to mention.

ALL HOUSEHOLD GOODS and a quantity of Lumber and Building Logs.

TERMS CASH NO RESERVE

Parties paying by check must bring Bank references.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

For further information apply to

THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE CO. LTD.

H. A. HOWARD, Manager, Calgary, Alta., or to

Messrs. McDONALD & McBRIDE, their Solicitors, Lacombe, Alta.

J. G. PRATT, Inspector, Lacombe.

C. F. DAMRON, AUCTIONEER

There will be offered for sale the North-east Quarter 36-43-3, West of 5th Meridian, under a reserved bid. Suitable terms will be announced at the sale.

John Barger's

## Auction Sale

OF LIVE STOCK, AT J. A. L. BRODERSON'S CORRAL

WITTENBURG, ON

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21ST

Commencing at 12.30, I will sell at Auction to the highest bidder, WITHOUT RESERVE, the following described Horses and Cattle:

4 HEAD OF GOOD WORK HORSES

One Bay Gelding, 6 years old; weight, 1400 lbs.

One Bay Gelding, 12 years old; weight, 1300 lbs.

One Sorrel, 11 years old; weight, 1300 lbs.

One Grey, 10 years old; weight, 1000 lbs.

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## News of the War

### RUSSIANS EVADED THREE TRAPS WHICH ENEMY SET FOR THEM

Petrograd, via London, Aug. 6.—An official communication just issued here says:

"In view of conditions and the general situation, our troops west of Warsaw have received orders to fall back on the right bank of the Vistula.

"According to reports received this order was carried out, and the troops, which were covering Warsaw, retired at 5 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, without being attacked, toward the new front assigned to them.

"They blew up behind them all the bridges over the Vistula."

Another communication issued last night said:

"In the Ivanogorod district, the Russians have crossed to the right bank of the Vistula, blowing up the bridges behind them."

London, Aug. 5.—The Germans are in possession of Warsaw, capital of Poland, and the third largest city in the Russian Empire. Bavarian troops entered the city this morning, having taken successively the Blonice lines and the outer and inner fortresses of the town itself, the Russians only fighting rear-guard actions to allow their main army to make good its escape. While to the Bavarians commanded by Prince Leopold has fallen the honor of taking Warsaw in the name of the German Emperor and his consort, who are expected to make a state entry within a few days. The real conquerors are the troops fighting under Field Marshal Von Hindenburg along the Narew river to the northeast, to the Austrian-Germans who crossed the Vistula to the south of the city, and to the armies of the Austrian Archduke Joseph Ferdinand and the German Field Marshal Von Mackensen, which are advancing northward between the Vistula and Bug rivers.

The Russians are fighting desperately and stubbornly to check the progress of these four enemies, and have had several successes, inflicting heavy losses on their pursuers; but they are being steadily pressed back, which made the longer occupation of the Warsaw-Polish salient a hazardous undertaking.

Even now, although the steadiness of the Russian troops and their fierce counter-attacks have gained much valuable time for them, it is problematical whether the whole Russian army will succeed in reaching the new positions chosen for it or whether, if it should get there, it will not find those positions turned by the Austrians, who have crossed the Bug southeast of Cholm, and the Germans, under General von Choltz and von Gallwitz, who have crossed the Narew. At the north-eastern end of the line the Russian communications are further threatened by General von Buelow, who is advancing toward Dvinsk on the Vilna-Petrograd railway.

Indeed, the Austro-Germans had set three traps to catch and destroy the Russian army. None of them was sprung, but one was so near to closing that the Grand Duke Nicholas was forced to evacuate Warsaw, and now is fighting with all his might to prevent the others from cutting off his retreat. Thus far he seemingly has been successful, for, although the Germans claim the capture of a large number of prisoners, the aggregate is small when compared with the immense forces

engaged. In addition the Russian guns apparently are well on their way to the rear.

From refugees who left Warsaw some days ago, and have arrived at Moscow, it has been learned that Warsaw, even at that early date, had been denuded of virtually everything that might be useful to the Teutons. Factories have been stripped of their machinery, and all war stores moved into the interior of Russia, and the government of the city left to the Polish population.

The Russians also are preparing to evacuate Riga, the port on the gulf of that name in the north. The arrival of the Germans ten miles south of that city already had been the cause of the civilian population departing.

While expressing the fullest confidence in the future, the British military critics make no attempt to belittle the achievements of the Teutons, or the effect their success is likely to have in the near east and the west.

Since early in May, when they started the great counter-offensive in Western Galicia against the Russians, who were debouching through the Carpathians to the plains of Hungary, the troops of the German powers have cleared the Russians out of Galicia, with the exception of a narrow strip of territory in the south-west; have recaptured Przemyśl and Lemberg, taken Lublin, Cholm and Warsaw, and are in military occupation of the whole of Poland.

What their next move will be is a matter of conjecture. Some military observers believe they will continue to attack the Russians in the hope of finally crushing them, a task which it is considered is rendered difficult by the fact that the Russians, in their retreat, lay the country waste, making it necessary for the invaders to bring up every ounce of food required for their army.

Others of the observers think Serbia will be attacked, so as to impress the Balkan States which remain neutral; while still others look for a big offensive against the French-British-Belgium line in the west. All of the observers are of the opinion that wherever the new operation is begun it will be on a big scale.

The Germans also have had local successes in the west, having re-captured the crest of the line in the Vosges, a portion of the trenches which the French took from them some time ago. The situation as regards Austria and Italy has not been definitely changed within the past few days.

Vienna, via London, Aug. 6.—The war office this evening made public the following official communication:

"Russian theatre: The long series of successes of the German allies since the May battle on the Danube in Galicia and in southern and northern Poland, and the Baltic provinces have now been crowned by the occupation of Warsaw.

"Today the German troops of the army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria, marched into the capital of Russian Poland.

"Between the Vistula and the Bug both of the allies are advancing to the north in pursuit of the Russians. The Austro-Hungarian cavalry has reached Uscilub (on the right bank of the Bug to the west of Vladimir-Wolynsk) and the German cavalry Vladimir-Wolynsk. Otherwise the situation is unchanged.

### HUNS EXPECT NOTHING FROM ROUMANIA NOW

Berlin, Aug. 4.—A warning that nothing can be expected from Roumania is conveyed to the readers of the Tages Zeitung, in an editorial this morning, by Count Ernest Reventlow. His article summarizes the situation in the following paragraph:

"Those friendly relations with Roumania made sacred by tradition—and on the German side by firm confidence—can hardly longer be considered as existing."

Count Reventlow points out Roumania's refusal to permit exports of grain or to permit ammunition for the Turks to pass through its territory, although Russia was permitted to transmit munitions to Serbia. He says it has been hoped Roumania would fulfil its treaty obligations or preserve at least an upright and well-wishing neutrality. But, Roumania has become "malevolent," he asserts, with a tendency to enter the conflict on the side of Germany's enemies.

"The importance of Roumania's aid to Germany and Turkey has been greatly lessened, however," Count Reventlow asserts. "Before Russia's Galician defeat Roumania would have been a military factor in co-operation with the Muscovites, but that time is past and her military and political value as an opponent of Germany is vanishing." The period when Roumania could be considered a leading factor in the development of the Balkan States has gone by, the article declares.

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## Great Britain Will Not Allow German Goods to Be Shipped to the U. S.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Great Britain's reply to the latest American representations against interference with neutral commerce rejects entirely the contention that the orders-in-council are illegal, and justify the British course as being wholly within international law.

"Unsustainable either in point of law or upon principles of international equity," is the British reply to the American protest against the blockade of neutral ports, with an invitation to submit to international arbitration any case in which the United States is dissatisfied with the action of the British prize courts.

Great Britain's reply, embodied in two notes, one supplemental, was made public here tonight and in London simultaneously by agreement between the two governments. With the note was made public also the correspondence over the American steamer, seized by the British while en route from Rotterdam to the United States with goods of German origin. All the correspondence aggregates over 7,000 words.

Changed conditions of warfare, the British note contends, require a new application of the principles of international law. The advent of the submarine, the airship, and the alleged atrocities of German troops in Belgium, are cited as justification for the exercise of extreme measures. The blockade is justified on the contention that the universally recognized fundamental principle of a blockade is that a belligerent is entitled to cut off by effective means the sea-borne commerce of his enemy.

The note reiterates that Great Britain will continue to apply the orders complained of, although not without every effort to avoid embarrassment to neutrals, and observes that the American statistics show that any loss in trade with Germany and Austria has been over-balanced by the increase of other industrial activities due to the war.

In the general reply to the American representations against the orders in council, Sir Edward Grey, the foreign minister, addressing Ambassador Page, begins by expressing the hope that he may be able to convince the administration at Washington "that the measures we have announced are not only reasonable and necessary in times, but constitute no more than adaptation of the old principles of blockade to the peculiar conditions with which we are confronted."

"I need scarcely dwell," wrote Sir Edward, "on the obligations incumbent upon the allies to take every step in their power to overcome their common enemy, in view of the shocking violation of the recognized rules and principles of civilized warfare of which he has been guilty during the present struggle."

Sir Edward then refers to atrocities in Belgium, poisoning of wells in German Southwest Africa, use of poisonous gases against the allied troops in Flanders, and finally the sinking of the Lusitania, to show "how indispensable it is that we should leave unused no justifiable method of defending ourselves."

Coming down to the question of the allied blockade of neutral ports, the note continues:

"In the various notes which I have received from your excellency the right of a belligerent to establish a blockade of the enemy's ports is admitted, a right which has obviously no value save insofar as it gives power to a belligerent to cut off the sea-borne exports and imports of his enemy. The contention which I understand the United States government now puts forward is

that if a belligerent is so circumstanced that his commerce can pass through adjacent neutral ports as easily as through ports in his own territory, his opponent has no right to interfere, and must restrict his measures of blockade in such a manner as to leave such avenues of commerce still open to his adversary. This is a contention which his majesty's government feel unable to accept, and which seems to them unsustainable either in point of law or upon principles of international equity.

"They are unable to admit that a belligerent violates any fundamental principle of international law by applying a blockade in such a way as to cut off the enemy's commerce with foreign countries through neutral ports, if the circumstances render such an application of the principles of blockade the only means of making it effective."

The government of the United States, indeed, intimates its readiness to take into account the great changes which have occurred in the conditions and means of naval warfare since the rules hitherto governing legal blockade were formulated, and recognizes that the form of close blockade with its cordon of ships in the immediate offing of the blockaded ports is no longer practicable in the face of an enemy possessing the means and opportunity to make an effective defence by the use of submarines, mines, and aircraft.

"The only question then which can arise in regard to the measures resorted to for the purpose of carrying out a blockade upon these extended lines is whether, to use your excellency's words, they 'conform to the spirit and principles of the essence of the rules of war,' and we shall be content to apply this test to the action which we have taken insofar as it has necessitated interference with neutral commerce."

Sir Edward Grey then refers to the American civil war blockade of 3,000 miles of coast with a small number of vessels, and recalls how the United States finally took recourse to blockading "neighboring neutral territory which afforded convenient centre from which contraband could be introduced into Confederate territory, and from which blockade running could be facilitated."

"Your excellency will no doubt remember," wrote Sir Edward, "how, in order to meet this new difficulty, the old principles relating to contraband and blockade were developed, and the doctrine of continuous voyage was applied and enforced, under which goods destined for the enemy territory were intercepted before they reached the neutral ports from which they were to be re-exported. We are taking the utmost possible care not to interfere with commerce genuinely destined for or proceeding from neutral countries."

Furthermore, we have tempered the severity with which our measures might press upon neutrals by not applying the rule which was invariable in the old form of blockade, that ships and goods on their way to or from the blockaded area are liable to condemnation."

The note then reviews at some length the various forms in which blockades have been maintained, to show there has been no uniformity of practice in very essential points, and declares: "The one principle which is fundamental and has obtained universal recognition, is that by means of blockade a belligerent is entitled to cut off by effective means the sea-borne commerce of his enemy."

Consequently, Sir Edward argues, it is impossible to main-

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tain that the right of a belligerent to intercept the commerce of his enemy can be lifted in the way suggested in the American notes on the subject. "There are many cases," he says, "in which proofs that the goods were enemy property would afford strong evidence that they were of enemy origin or enemy destination, and we are in such cases that we are detaining them. Where proof of enemy ownership would afford no evidence of such origin or destination, we are not in practice of detaining the goods."

Sir Edward's note closes with the observation that "figures of recent months show that the increased opportunities afforded by the war for American commerce have more than compensated for the loss of the German and Austrian markets. We shall continue to apply these measures with every desire to occasion the least possible amount of inconvenience to persons engaged in legitimate commerce."

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## Germany Will Not Yield to The States

Washington, Aug. 4.—Germany is unyielding in her refusal to concede that the sinking of the American sailing ship William P. Frye by the auxiliary cruiser Prince Eitel Friedrich in the South Atlantic last January was a violation of American rights under the Prussian-American treaty of international law.

In reply to the last representations of the United States to the German foreign office in a note made public here tonight by the state department reiterates a previous justification of Germany's course, declares again her willingness to pay for the ship, and accepts a proposal advanced by the United States—that the amount of damages be fixed by two experts, one to be selected by each country. Such a sum the German government pledges itself to pay promptly, with the stipulation, however, that the payment shall not be viewed as a satisfaction for violation of American rights. Should that method be unsatisfactory, Germany invites the United States to arbitration at The Hague.

The unofficial view here is that reparation by a commission of experts probably will be satisfactory to the United States, with the express provision, however, that it is not a waiver of treaty rights for which the American government contends, but applies only to the matter of damages.

It is practically certain that if the United States allows the dispute to go to The Hague for interpretation of the treaty provision, or continues the academic discussion, of principles through the channel of diplomacy, it will insist that meanwhile Germany refrain from violation of what the United States contends are its rights.

The entire dispute revolves about article 13 of the Prussian-American treaty of 1899, which was revived and included in the treaty of 1928. That article, the United States contends, specially protected the William P. Frye from being sunk, although it did not protect a contraband cargo. Germany takes precisely an opposite view, contending that the article only obligates her to pay damages. Furthermore, Germany replies that as the Frye's cargo of wheat, destined to England, was contraband, the ship was liable to confiscation, and that as an attempt to take the prize into a German port would have imperilled her captor, the destruction of the Frye "was, according to general principles of international law."

"The right of sinking," says the German note, "is not mentioned in the treaty, and is therefore neither expressly permitted nor expressly prohibited, so that on this point the party stipula-

tions must be supplemented by the general rules of international law. It is not disputed by the American government that according to the general principles of international law a belligerent is authorized in sinking vessels under almost any conditions for carrying contraband."

The note argues at length for the German interpretation of the disputed treaty provisions, contending that its intent is to establish a reasonable compromise between the military interests of the belligerent contracting party and the commercial interests of the neutral party. "On the one hand," says the note, "the belligerent party is to have the right to prevent the transportation of war supplies to his adversaries, even when carried on vessels of the neutral party; on the other hand, the commerce and navigation of the neutral party is to be interfered with as little as possible by the measures necessary for such prevention, and reasonable compensation is to be paid for any inconvenience or damage which may, nevertheless, ensue from the proceeding of the belligerent party."

That in short, is Germany's argument based on her interpretation of the treaty, and to that the view of the United States is squarely ordered. Payment for the Frye in the manner suggested will not affect the question of rights under the treaty.

A German prize court on June 10th held the imperial government for damages, but fixed no amount, since the United States declined to become a party to the proceedings, demanding settlement by diplomacy under the treaty.

The case of the American steamer Leclanaw, recently sunk by a German submarine, is parallel to the Frye case. It now is in the preliminary stages of diplomatic negotiations.

## LIGHTNING KILLS WAINWRIGHT MAN

Wainwright, Alta., Aug. 4.—Thomas Alfred Birtles, aged 24, is dead and his fifteen-year-old brother lies in a serious condition as the result of an electric storm which struck the barn in which the two were working at 8:30 last night. The additional toll of the electric storm at the same time and place was three horses, these being electrocuted as they stood in the barn. The farm, located at Cummings' Corner, is owned by J. Birtles, father of the boys, and is a few miles east of town. No further damage by the storm has been reported.

## U. S. BANDIT ROBS BANK OF \$23,500

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Aug. 4.—A lone bandit held up and robbed the Cedar National bank early today. He is said to have made his escape with \$23,500. Lee Perrin, teller in the bank, was discovered bound and gagged an hour later.

Perrin was taken to a local hospital. He was temporarily insane from shock, according to physicians who examined him. No trace of the robber had been discovered at 10 o'clock.

The robbery was committed shortly before 7 o'clock. Perrin was in the bank preparing currency shipments for the banks of neighboring towns. The robber entered by a side door and covered Perrin with a revolver. A scuffle ensued, in which the bandit was victorious.

The bank is one of the largest in Cedar Rapids, having a capitalization of \$1,500,000, surplus \$200,000, and deposits \$6,000,000.

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Children's Barefoot Sandals to clear at cost, sizes 6 to 10, regular \$1.00, reduced to **80c**

Sizes 11 to 2, regular \$1.25, reduced to **\$1.00**

Children's Brownie Sandals, rubber soles, canvas tops, sizes 3 to 6, 7 to 11 and 12 to 2, regular 75c, 85c and 95c now **55c, 65c and 75c**

Ladies' Black Oxfords, regular \$2.25 reduced to **\$1.50**

Women's Dongola Comfort Shoes, rubber heels and flexible sole **\$2.65**

**ARNOT'S****Men's Dept.**

Men's White Outing Shirts, soft roll collar **\$1.25**

Men's White Lisle Sox **25c**

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 2-piece, suit **75c**

Men's Merino Underwear, 2-piece, per suit **\$1**

Men's Merino Combinations, worth \$1.50, reduced to **\$1.00**

Men's Knit Combinations **\$1.00**

Men's Strong Horsehide Work Gloves, worth \$1.50 for **\$1.00**

Men's Horsehide Gauntlet Gloves, worth \$1.75, selling at **\$1.25**

**Lacombe****Grocery Specials**

Golden West and Royal Crown Soap **20c**

Economy Quart Jars, per dozen **65c**

Mason Quart Jars, per dozen **70c**

Clover Leaf Salmon **25c**

10 lb. Box Prunes **\$1.25**

10 lb. Box Peaches **\$1.10**

60c Brooms **45c**

Solid Pack Tomatoes, 2 tins **25c**

Early June Peas, per tin **10c**

Sweet Corn, per tin **10c**

Strawberry Jam, 5 lb. tins **90c**

Gallon Apples, per tin **35c**

Jelly Powders, 4 packages **25c**

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**4 Dozen Men's Shirts, Military Collars, good serviceable shirts for Summer wear, worth usually \$1.00, selling at, while they last, each 75c**

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McDonald returned this week from a holiday trip to Pacific Coast cities.

One Miffed Cow and Three Pigs for Sale. Apply at Stanley's Chop Mill.

All vehicles plying for hire between town and the fair grounds on Fair Days, Aug. 25 and 26, must unload their passengers OUTSIDE the gates of the Fair Grounds. Only private rigs and cars will be permitted on the grounds until after 4 p.m. each day. By order of the President.

Miss Ethel Ewing was the fortunate winner of the Duke of Connaught medal in the Red Deer district. Twenty medals were given in Western districts.

A lot of correspondence received this morning has been left over till next issue. To insure insertion in the current week's issue all copy must be in this office not later than Tuesday.

Norris cleaned up the Ro-Min Government in last week's election, there only being three supporters of the Conservative ticket elected, in a house of forty-six.

The Rev. J. W. Thomeon, of Calgary, will (D.V.) hold divine service, in St. Mary's Church, of England, Bentley, on Sunday, August 15th inst., at 7.30 p.m.

Prof. Geo. E. Day, of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Day for the last few days.

Miss Carrie Muir, of Edmonton, is visiting her cousin, Miss Margaret Day, of Lacombe.

Fred Codd, lately employed by E. Walter Simpson, has enlisted for service abroad, and has joined his regiment. This is the second volunteer from Mr. Simpson's, David Lilley having gone with the second contingent. Both these men have many relatives in the firing line. The former had three brothers at the front, one of whom has been killed, and the latter has two brothers battling the Germans, one of whom has been wounded. Lilley was also wounded in the famous Canadian charge, but is back again to duty. Mrs. Codd also has a brother at the front. He has been wounded three times, but is again in the trenches.

**THE REGATTA**

Lovely weather favored the Annual Regatta at Gull Lake on Monday last. A very large crowd attended from the cities, and Lacombe was there en masse. The sports were very interesting, and keenly contested. The full report has been left over till next issue, as we find it impossible to get a correct list of prize-winners before going to press today.

**ANGELICAN CHURCH**

Sunday, Aug. 15.  
Holy Communion—Lacombe, 11 a.m.  
Service at Gull Lake at 11 a.m.  
Service at Blackfalds at 4 p.m.  
Service at Lacombe at 7.30 p.m.

**BOUNTIFUL HARVEST ALMOST IN SIGHT**

In many western agricultural communities the months of June, July, and August, are fraught with great anxiety for the outcome of the years labor, and this year is no exception. In the

early part of the season there is anxiety to see the rain start, as on this depends the germination and growth of the grain sown in the spring. Then sunshine and warm weather are essential to the maturing of the crop.

This year there has been abundance of rain. In fact, many farmers have been worrying because they think there has been too much, and that the crops will be frozen before they have a chance to ripen.

To add to the anxiety of the farmer on account of so much rain, there have been prophecies of destructive storms passing over the country. The date for the fulfillment of these prophecies is now past, and the fields still look most promising.

While there has been more rain than was necessary to ensure good crop, yet experienced farmers and old-timers in the district are not the ones that are worrying about frozen grain.

In conversation with some of these during the past week, we are informed that the crops are well advanced, for this time of the season, and there is every possibility of their being harvested in good condition.

Those who have studied the effect of the moon on weather conditions tell us that as we have now passed the full moon we have passed the danger-point without harm, another reason to believe we will harvest the crop in good condition.

It would be difficult for the fields to look better than they do now. A good growth, well out in head, and everything most promising.

**Bentley News**

The fine weather is giving the farmers a good chance to make hay while the sun shines.

Many from Bentley attended the Gull Lake Regatta on the 9th, but few of the surrounding farmers compared to the crowds from the Lacombe District.

H. W. Birch, wife and son, and Ludwig Larson, are attending the Fair at Edmonton.

A large and appreciative crowd turned out to see the Gull Lake Annual Regatta, pulled off by Lacombe and District, contributed the bulk of the crowd, and seemed to enjoy the outing. The weather was ideal for the occasion, having a fair wind for the sailing races in the morning, and quieting down for the boat, canoe, and swimming races later. The illuminated boats, in the evening, while few in number, were nicely done, and Mr. Cox, a local boy, won first prize.

The Bentley district, as yet, is quite free from hail damage, with crops looking fine, and a few more days of this hot weather will start the binders humming.

Not much news of exciting nature; everybody busy and orderly.

**Rainy Creek News**

A very large crowd attended service at the Rainy Creek Church last Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. French returned to her home in Red Deer the first of the week after a two-weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Peterson.

Quite a number from this district attended the Gull Lake Regatta, and all report a good time.

Miss Lizzie Martin, of the Raymond, Alta., schools, came up last Saturday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Nelson. Mrs. Ramsay and daughter,

Helen, of Red Deer, are making an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Ramsay's uncle, Mr. A. Young.

Mamie Nelson, Kenneth Danc, and Murray Bigan, are the pupils from the Carritt School, who were successful in passing the Grade VIII examinations. Paul Steele, a former pupil of this school, was a successful candidate of Grade X.

The Misses Ethel and Verna Storey, of Lacombe, are visiting with Miss Mamie Nelson.

**Wittenburg News**

Mr. and Mrs. Fallis wish to thank their many friends for their kindness during their recent illness and death of their infant.

Miss E. J. Andrews has returned to the valley for a short stay.

Miss Amanda Brodersen has returned home for a short vacation.

We regret that the lady (?) who signed herself an "Iowa Woman" did not sign her own name instead of casting such reflections on her native state. Probably if she had looked into the question a little more deeply she would have understood sentiment better and saved her ink. However, no harm done, but we would advise same that letters require stamps.

The first of the fortnightly dances was held in Lee's Hall on July 31st, with a small attendance, but as their fame spreads we hope to see more.

INDIA THOROUGHLY LOYAL IN THE WAR

Simla, India, Aug. 5.—Intercession services are being held in churches, mosques, and temples, throughout India, all sections, of the British and Indian communities participating. Enormous patriotic meetings also have been organized by Indian citizens. It is estimated that \$5,000,000 has been subscribed to the British war loan through Bombay and Calcutta.

TOWNS IN FLAMES WHEN GERMANS REACHED THEM

Petrograd, Aug. 6.—A letter from Warsaw, dated Tuesday, Aug. 3, received here to-day says: the towns of Jarodoff, Grotzi, and Blonice, all were in flames when the Germans reached them. The invaders are said to have been forced to fight fire so persistently in the advance to the Vistula river that the Teutonic armies were preceded by detachments of military firemen.

BRITISH EX-M.P., A GERMAN SPY, UNDER ARREST

New York, Aug. 5.—Ignatius T. T. Lincoln, a former member of the British parliament was arrested in Brooklyn last night on a federal warrant charging forgery amounting to \$1,100. He was locked up to await extradition papers from Great Britain. Lincoln, according to his own admission, was a German spy, and when he went to England he had his name legally changed from Trebitch to Lincoln.

GIVE US SHELLS AND WE CAN DRIVE THE GERMANS BACK

London, Aug. 5.—A private in the Princess Patricia's writing from the front, says: "We are now at where I am not very busy. The rain we are now getting makes everything look

rosy except where the ground is struck by Hun shells. Some people in England must think it is like honey here or they would not think of going on strike. We did not think it was honey at Ypres when we had to hold trenches with rifles while the German guns did great execution among us. It was like hell while it lasted. We go into the trenches with a good heart, and if everybody in England put the same good heart into their bit the war would not last long. We want shells and lots of them. With them we can give the Huns 'hell,' advance ourselves, and drive them right out of France and Belgium."

DISGUISED AS NUN: WAS GERMAN SPY

New York, Aug. 6.—How a German spy, disguised as a nun, was discovered at sea aboard a Canadian transport after he had occupied a state-room with an unsuspecting young English girl, was told in a letter received here today by friends of Lorne Cameron, son of Sir Douglas Cameron, former lieutenant-governor of Manitoba.

"We were taking a young English girl home," said the letter, "and the boat was crowded. The only accommodation the girl could obtain was half the state-room of a sweet-faced nun."

"The third night out our friend woke up and saw the nun crouched before a small mirror, shaving. He turned out to be a German spy."

CABINET COUNCIL TO DEAL WITH POLAND

Rotterdam, via London, Aug. 6.—Emperor William, the Courant says, will return to Berlin Sunday to preside over an important cabinet conference, at which the heads of all German states and the Austrian archdukes will be present. Proposals will be considered for issuing a proclamation declaring Poland a semi-autonomous state, and placing it, together with Galicia, under the joint rule of the Germans, Austrians, and Poles. These plans will be submitted to the Reichstag August 17, the Courant asserts.

LONDON PAPERS REDUCED IN SIZE

London, Aug. 5.—Decreased advertising revenue and a shortage in the supply of chemicals necessary for the manufacture of white paper, have resulted in an agreement by the proprietors of London's newspapers to reduce the number of pages. The Post today contains ten pages, while the Times, Telegraph, and Standard contained 12 pages. Some of these two-cent dailies frequently have printed 20 or more pages since the war has been in progress.

BELGIAN MINERS ARE MAKING TROUBLE NOW

Havre, Aug. 6.—Miners in the Mons district have gone on strike. According to reports received here groups of miners collided with German soldiers and a serious riot followed, during which two Germans and seven miners were killed.

Disorders also are reported from Charleroi. The disturbances there resulted from the high cost of food, the stores having been pillaged. German troops are said to have charged a crowd of civilians which had congregated, killing ten, and wounding forty. Four battalions

of the landstrum have been sent to Mons and two to Charleroi. Intense interest is reported to prevail throughout that region.

The rich Belgian coal-mining district, of which Mons is the centre, is called Borinage, and the miners are known as Borinians.

BORDEN HONORED BY BRISTOL CITY

Montreal, Aug. 9.—The Gazette, today, publishes a dispatch from London, saying: "Sir Robert Borden, accompanied by R. B. Bennett, M.P., and Sir George Perley, will journey to Bristol, Monday, where he will receive the freedom of the city at noon. He will be the 21st honorary freeman."

"Sir Robert's visit is being prolonged beyond the original intention, and the date of his return has not yet been fixed."

London, Aug. 9.—Sir Robert Borden, Saturday, visited Victoria League club for overseas soldiers. Sir Robert said he was interested in such clubs because they offered opportunity for the overseas soldiers to meet together and thus bring the various dominions closer in touch.

KAISER OFFERS RUSSIA PEACE

London, Aug. 9.—Renter's correspondent at Petrograd says: "The Bourse Gazette learns from an unimpeachable source that the German Emperor made an offer of peace to Russia last week through the King of Denmark. The answer stated that the question of peace negotiations could not be raised at the present time."

Petrograd, Aug. 9.—The report became known here several days ago and was freely discussed in the offices of the duma, according to the Vecherneye Vremya. "We learn on good authority," says the newspaper, "that Germany, through Denmark, proposed to Russia separate peace, Russia to receive Galicia, while Germany would retain the western district of Poland. A representative of the foreign office categorically denied that there was the remotest possibility of any peace negotiations."

GREAT INTEREST IN NEGOTIATION WITH BALKANS

London, Aug. 7.—In diplomatic circles great interest attaches to the negotiations that are going on in the capitals of the Balkan states. The ministers of the quadruple entente powers at Nish, Serbia, following the example of their colleagues at Athens, have had a conference with the Serbian government. Simultaneously Sofia has denied the repeated reports that an agreement had been reached between Bulgaria and Turkey.

The reconstruction of the Balkan league, the key of which is Bulgaria, and its co-operation with the allies would far outweigh in importance the loss of Warsaw and would materially hasten the defeat of the German powers, says the Daily News in an editorial today.

The newspaper takes hope in the conference at Nish between the ministers of the quadruple entente powers and the Serbian premier in an endeavor to bring about a Balkan agreement. "Strategically," says the Daily News, "Bulgaria is in a commanding position. Her neutrality imposes like neutrality on both Roumania and Greece, while

her intervention as an ally of the entente powers would lay Turkey at their mercy."

The editorial urges the justice of Bulgaria's demands for the territory inhabited by her people, but which was ceded to Serbia, Roumania and Greece by the treaty of Bucharest, and adds: "It will be a fatal discredit to western diplomacy if the opportunity as offered today is not turned to profit."

FOUND STICK OF DYNAMITE ON THE ARABIC AT NEW YORK

New York, Aug. 6.—It became known at police headquarters here today that a stick of dynamite was found aboard the White Star liner Arabic before she sailed from this port for Liverpool on July 28.

The explosive was in such a state of deterioration that experts said it would have exploded at the slightest jar. It was wrapped in newspapers.

In notifying the police of the finding of the dynamite, officials of the steamship company, it was said, asked that no publicity be given to the fact. A search was said to have been made of the entire steamer. No more dynamite was found.

The explosive was discovered the day before the steamer sailed with more than 20,000 tons of cargo, almost all of which was war supplies. One hundred and eighty-eight passengers, among them twelve Americans, were aboard the steamer. On the day the steamer sailed it was known that the cargo as well as the baggage of the passengers had been closely examined for bombs.

The Arabic arrived safely at Liverpool at 4 p.m., Aug. 6, according to a cable dispatch received by the company.

CHEERED WHEN HE READ NEWS OF WARSAW'S FALL

Edmonton, Aug. 7.—The temper of the people at the present time will not permit of any demonstrations or remarks, which might be construed as antagonistic to the welfare of the allies. John Sheridan, a Bavarian, appeared in the police court yesterday, charged with sedition, and he was committed for trial by Magistrate Primrose.

According to the evidence of U. Michau, who is a member of the 51st overseas contingent, and Emile Debut, of Morinville, who wishes to join the same company, the accused was reading a bulletin board yesterday afternoon with some of his fellow countrymen, when he exclaimed, "Warsaw has fallen; that is good; the Germans will soon be in Canada." Following this he threw up his hands and cheered.

The accused claims to have come to Edmonton from Vancouver in search of work. He claimed he had registered in British Columbia as an alien, but did not have his card with him, nor did he have a permit to leave the province, in which he had registered.

NEVER SAW FINER THAN CANADIANS

London, Aug. 6.—A retired major-general writes to the Daily Express as follows: "I was present at the review at Shorncliffe when Bonar Law and Major-General Hughes saw the Canadian troops march past. As a motorman, who was crushed to an old soldier, I can say that I saw in an electric car accident, never saw finer troops than the Canadian troops that were reviewed by Burnaby prison farm, who was, under the command of Major General Steele. It was a revelation."

THREE FATALITIES IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 6.—Yesterday's fatalities include R. C. Washwood, of Victoria, an old-timer, who came to British Columbia 40 years ago; David Milne, a British Columbia electrician, who was crushed to death in an electric car accident, and W. J. Whitt, a guard at thousands who passed in review Wednesday night, drowned in Deep Lake.

tion. Among them was a regiment of French-Canadians. The men had stood in a deluge for over an hour and a half, but they went by like old soldiers, though not one of them had been a soldier ten months ago. There was enough six footers among them to make a guards brigade."

DOWNFALL OF WARSAW MEANS REGENERATION OF THE RUSSIANS, DECLARES LLOYD GEORGE

London, Aug. 6.—Speaking to 10,000 Welshmen at Bangor this afternoon before he heard of the fall of Warsaw, David Lloyd George, the minister of munitions referred to the situation in the east in these terms: "I view it with anxiety, but not with dread. I can see a ray of hope in the dark horizon—the regeneration of the great people of Russia. Our enemies do not understand what they are doing in the east. Their mighty cannon are shattering the rusty bars that fettered the soul of Russia. Look at Warsaw. What is happening behind that? The Russian people are shaking themselves free of stifling debris, their mighty limbs preparing, with new spirits and new hope, for a new land."

"Austria and Prussia are doing today for Russia what their military ancestors did for France. They are hammering, a sword that will destroy them."

CABLEGRAMS NOW MUST BE PLAIN

New York, Aug. 6.—Announcement was made by the cable companies yesterday, that the British government had issued a renewed notice declaring that cablegrams to or through Great Britain must be in plain language or in authorized code. The notice calls attention to the irregular joinings of words and states that this cannot be considered plain language. Messages with such irregular compounds, it is said, are liable to detention by the censor.

48 RIDINGS HAVE NOW BEEN HEARD FROM

There were in the hands of J. D. Hunt, clerk of the provincial executive council, on Tuesday, returns for forty-eight out of the fifty-five constituencies in the province. Two constituencies were heard from at the executive council in the morning, these being Peace River and High River. Both these districts went dry by large majorities. The figures for Peace River showed a dry majority of 270. The majority at High River was even larger, the vote showing a majority of 499 in favor of prohibition. For the forty-eight constituencies now returned, 19,052, and the constituencies yet to hear from will add still further to this handsome majority. Thirty-six of the constituencies heard from voted dry, the remaining twelve going to the wets.

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## Ponoka News

Mr. G. Neff has moved into the Hancy residence on Donald Ave., just vacated by Dr. Taylor.

Tugman.—On Thursday, July 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Tugman's daughter.

Mrs. H. H. Jones was taken to Lacombe hospital on Friday, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Cad Pei went to Red Deer on Monday and will enter the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. J. Brollick is enjoying a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Chilly, of Herrington, Washington.

Rev. Mr. Milton enjoyed a week end visit from his brother Frank, who is serving in Calgary with the 51st battalion.

W. H. Wilkins and family left for the Peace River country on Monday. They are sorry to leave this district, but are going out to homestead.

Alexander & Tugman have lost no time in making a start in the construction of their new premises. Hugh Miller has the contract, and the building is to be a vast improvement on the one recently destroyed by fire.

An important meeting of the Agricultural Society directors was held Saturday afternoon, when arrangements for the forthcoming fair were under consideration. The selecting of judges and other matters were attended to. The date is September 21st and 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marion, of Edmonton, are visiting in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Christensen left on Sunday for Montana, having had to leave these parts on account of Mrs. Christensen's health.

Dr. and Mrs. Taylor left for Winnipeg on Friday, where they are to make their home. During the twelve months they have been resident here they made many friends who regret their departure. Mrs. Taylor was met on Wednesday afternoon by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Church of England, and presented with a handsome gift, as a remembrance of her sojourn in Ponoka.

Geo. D. Clark writes us from San Francisco, giving an account of the exhibition, and makes very special mention of the Canadian exhibit. His special complaint is that he cannot keep warm, is wearing an overcoat, and is contemplating on sending home for his fur coat. George should have stayed at home.

The Hotel Leland has closed its doors—sold out the stock of liquor and closed the dining-room; there will be no transient trade. Ask the reason why—"Owing to the prohibition vote we think it best to close now rather than prolong the agony."

## PREPARING FOR FLOOD OF WHEAT

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—Prof. A. McGill, chairman of the grain commission, is in the city conferring with Acting Premier Sir Geo. Foster. Though non-committal

as to the object of his visit, it is understood its purpose is largely to discuss the handling of this year's wheat crop. Arrangements are now being made with the imperial authorities for the ocean transport of the grain, the large part of which of course will go to the old country. With the grain commission rests the supervision of the carriage of the wheat to the ports and care will be taken to insure speedy handling. Canada, as the "granary of the empire," is being organized into line with the other forces fighting on the allied side in the present struggle.

## Clive News

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. H. Sturgess, on Friday, July 30th, a daughter.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nelson, on Friday, July 31st, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wilson and son Jack spent the week-end at the home of the former's parents at Ponoka.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wickenburg and son, Roy, were visitors to Lacombe on Wednesday.

Milton Coote, who has been visiting his brother here for the past couple of weeks, returned to his home at Edmonton on Saturday.

The U.F.A. unloaded a car of twine here this week. The twine was purchased through the local hardware merchants, Messrs. Hudkins and Williams.

Mrs. H. W. Bickle and children returned on Saturday after spending a month's holiday at the home of Mr. Bickle's parents at Woodstock, Ontario. Mr. Bickle stayed over a day at Carstairs looking after his interests in that district. He returned on Sunday.

Work has been resumed on the Williams' residence in the Breton subdivision this week.

Fletcher Fulthorp spent a few days in Calgary this week. He reports that crops as far north as Grassfield have either been flooded out or hailed out.

Mrs. J. B. Cundiff, of Haynes, spent a few days in town last week, being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wickenburg. She returned on Friday by way of Alix.

Mr. Paul Moore, of Tees, who purchased Fred E. Allison's car last week, had a joy ride on Sunday and took along a few of his male friends. He struck a soft spot near the lakes and was unable to extricate the car and the party spent the night in the open. Paul states that he has slept in more comfortable places than even a Maxwell car.

The changes at the Quebec Bank here have resulted in promotions in the members of the staff. Mr. Cramer, more generally known as "Zeke," having received the position of teller, while Mr. A. McMath, more generally known as "Shorty" having received the appointment of ledger clerk.

Miss F. Lyons Hall, until recently a teacher at St. Hilda's College, Calgary, has accepted the position of teacher of the primary department of our public school.

Mr. James Tees purchased the yearling stray bull sold under the hammer by Guy C. Wilson, J.P., on Saturday. The price paid was \$22.75.

Miss Annie Reynolds returned on Saturday after spending a few weeks with Carstairs friends. She reports that the districts west and north of Carstairs have recently sustained heavy loss through hail.

The decision of the School Board to hire a principal and two teachers means that a very desirable family will remain in town.—Mrs. Crawford and her son Geo. M. Crawford. Mrs. Crawford is very enthusiastic over the work of the Red Cross Society, and it is mainly through her influence that this work has been kept going in our town and district. Mr. Crawford is exceptionally well liked by the scholars of our public school, who will be more than pleased to know that his services are to be retained.

## BIBLE LECTURE

(Synopsis of Lecture by Prof. P. P. Adams.)

## SOMETHING BETTER THAN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

WHAT IS IT? Gen. 2:16, 17—Here we have the first direct command ever given to man. We have the record of the Lord speaking before, but nowhere does it say that the Lord commanded him.

We may notice two points in this connection: (1) the command to obey, or (2) its alternative—death. Man was placed under law. What is it? Webster defines it in general, "A rule of being or conduct established by an authority able to enforce its observance; a control regulating the mode or order according to which an agent or a power acts."

All God's creatures are under law, animate and inanimate. Every particle in the universe acts according to law—grass, trees, horses, books, etc., etc. Man alone, of all God's creatures, was placed under a moral law. The book has no choice; the grass grows under proper environment; the animals have no choice. Man has a choice; he has two ways placed before him. They are brought to view in the first command to man—the way of life and the way of death. Man can obey and live, or disobey and die. Man has a choice, but he was placed under a law, and that law to be a law must be enforced. Notice the definiteness of the law. If the command had been given by some one who was not able to enforce the law then it would not have been authentic. Every law has two parts—the command and the penalty, and to be a moral agent man has the choice between obedience and life, or disobedience and death, but the law will be enforced.

Notice that in the first commandment is contained both the command and the penalty. The serpent was more subtle than any beast of the field, and said to the woman, "Yea, hath God said, ye

shall not eat of every tree in the garden?" And the woman said unto the serpent, "We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden; but of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden God hath said, 'Ye shall not eat of it: neither shall ye touch it: lest ye die.'" And the serpent said unto the woman, "Ye shall not surely die."

That statement of the devil was in fact and in purpose the abolition of the law of God, because the penalty was taken away according to the devil, making the commandment, the law of God, only a request or advice. Thus the devil virtually said, "It is no law at all, and you don't have to obey." He taught that by disobedience one could enter a higher state of existence. Where he could not talk before, now he could speak like a man, thus showing the deceived woman what heights she could attain to with her superior intellect. Virtually the devil aried to abolish the law of God and destroy his authority.

The woman believed the serpent, and under the impression that the law of God is not binding she partook of the fruit and ate. I Tim. 2:14 says she believed what the serpent said. II Cor. 11:3, 4, shows that Eve was beguiled and deceived. There is danger even to-day that men will be beguiled in the same way from the simplicity in Christ. It is a simple thing to be a Christian. It is not easy, if taken right, but it is the most simple life that there is. It is not an hard to live in this world when having a simple Christian life. Men and women dress more simply, and they don't need all that the world needs. Their diet is more simple, and they leave off many of the bad habits of the world, such as tobacco, whiskey, and smoking. It is a simple thing to obey God and live a Christian life. All there is to do is to obey God. "Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man," says the wise man.

The law that Eve turned away from believing it was not binding, was made by a power able to enforce it, and it will be. If men do not keep the commandments they will have to suffer the penalty. Romans 6:23 says that the wages of sin is death. By the decree of Almighty God the law and the commandment were given that men should obey and live; take the choice; disobey and die.

The example of our first parents ought to be sufficient to show us the consequences of sin. This is the reason of the condition of this world that is groaning under the belief that the law is not binding (Rom. 8:22). That is why the world is as it is to-day. The establishment of hospitals, insane asylums, and institutions for the feeble-minded, has grown from that one deception the devil brought. Eve is not the only one that believes that lie; it has been told over and over again, and many men and women believe that there is some way that is a little bit better than obeying God's way. When we seriously think a and study the question, the first thing that arises to our minds is to find out what we ought to know and do. Some people say we should go by the Spirit, but to-day there are many different spirits in the world. I John 4:1 says to try the spirits by the Word.

How are we going to tell what God would have us to do? By the Scriptures, and it does not pay to discount the Word either. Various examples in the Bible show the results of obedience and disobedience. Let us learn the lesson that to obey is better than sacrifice. It was never intended that sacrifice should take the place of obedience. Jesus Christ sacrificed himself for us that we might be saved, but if Jesus Christ himself had not sacrificed his life and obeyed God's law then his sacrifice would not have sufficed for us. His obedience was the cause that he could give us his right. He stood for obedience. Nothing would gnaw the demands of the law but obedience. We are forgiven for our past transgressions, but can we be forgiven for future wrongs? Forgiveness is promised to every one who truly repents. Many think that we cannot live up to the law. No Christian ought to say that. Every man must face that law in the judgment, and they should be able to say with the Psalmist, "I delight to do thy will, O my God; yea, thy law is within my heart."

If God should allow his law to be disobeyed without punishment it would mean the breaking down of God's moral government for the universe. The devil is trying to break down the government of God and make men and women think they can disobey God and yet get into the kingdom. But there is no such thing. Christ died to establish the law, and only by obedience to it is eternal life gained. Every transgressor of the law must die, either die in Christ or else out of Christ. If we accept Jesus Christ as Christ we are counted as dead to the world. We must accept Christ as

our substitute or else die. The gospel was given for the purpose of bringing into harmony God's sons and daughters with his law, and those who refuse the proffered grace must pay the price.

Let us so live that we may be able to stand in the great day of God Almighty, and when we are brought to face the great tribunal we may be able to say, "We have waited for him, and he will save us."

## THE WORST STORM ONTARIO HAS SEEN FOR SOME TIME

Toronto, Aug. 4.—From Quebec in the east and Port Arthur in the west, the worst storm since the disastrous gales of November, 1913, when many vessels were lost in the upper lakes, prevailed throughout yesterday and until early this morning. During 36 hours a tremendous damage was caused by the wind and rain, but from all accounts the effects were widespread, and while many suffered a little, few suffered very severely. It is not yet possible to estimate the actual damage to standing crops. Reports of damage are drifting into the department of agriculture slowly. There was sufficient information today to show that the greatest damage was within a 40-mile radius of Toronto. Outside of that there is considerable loss, but it is small compared to that nearer the city.

Hon. James Duff, minister of agriculture, said that the loss would be heavy. He was unable to suggest an estimate, however, until further reports are received from remote sections of the province.

The weather bureau explains that the storm resulted from a junction of two currents of warm air from Florida and California, striking a cool current from Hudson's Bay. Four inches of rain fell in Toronto up to 8 o'clock this morning.

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The Plaintiff is informed of the following particulars:—None of the said land has been broken, but Eighty (80) Acres is suitable for cultivation, and about Eighty (80) Acres is suitable for pasture. The soil is a sandy loam, with a clay sub-soil. There are no buildings or fencing on the property.

The land is situated about two and a-half (2½) miles from the Railway Station at the Village of Morningside, and there is a Post Office at the said Village of Morningside. The property will be offered for sale subject to a Reserve Bid.

The purchaser is to pay down 10 per cent. of the purchase price to the Vendor's Solicitors at the time of sale, and the remainder of the purchase money is to be paid into Court within sixty (60) days without interest. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Further particulars can be obtained from John McKenty, Esq., Lacombe, Alberta, or from Messrs. O'Dell & Russell, Solicitors, Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

Dated at Wetaskiwin, Alberta, this 24th day of July, A.D. 1915.

(Signed) E. E. CHANDLER, Acting Clerk of the Court.

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## Were Victuallers Funds Stolen?

There is a story flying around to the effect that somebody got away with a vast sum of money out of the campaign fund of the liquor people, prior to the taking of the vote, but Manager McMillan of the Calgary Brewing and Malting Company, declares there is not a word of truth in it.

He admitted he had heard the story himself. It was all over the province, he said, but there was absolutely nothing in it.

However, there is some truth in the stories that many thousands of dollars worth of bills run up by the anti-temperance forces are unpaid.

"But these will be paid," declared Mr. McMillan. "It is simply a matter of getting the accounts straightened out, and then we will pay them."

The story goes that \$7,000 is owing in Calgary alone. Of this a considerable sum is owing to automobile owners who rented their machines to the liquor party on election day. It is understood that \$4,375 is owing to the automobile owners. About 175 cars were hired in Calgary on that day.

But Mr. McMillan gives assurance that the bills run up by the liquor people will be paid.

The rest of the money alleged to be owing in Calgary is partly due to employees of the liquor organization, who have not yet been paid for their services.

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